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Coating Composition for	)
Thermoplastic Resin Particles	)
For Forming Foam Containers	)

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 8, 2007 in the above-referenced application, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks

Applicants request that the captioned application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which starts on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** start on page 5 of this paper.

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